

ABSTRACT

Title: A Study Abroad Course for First-Generation College Students

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The purpose of this project was to provide a study abroad learning experience for first-generation college students. The project contained marketing and recruitment materials, course materials, and educational events during the study abroad, and a post-event debriefing. The program was formed to recruit first-generation students to explore cultures different from their own in order to expand global awareness. The program content informs students about logistical information, international travel guidelines, and educational aspects while studying abroad. Lastly, this project will create an avenue for first-generation students to discuss with family, friends and the campus community about their learning experiences while traveling abroad.